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TO : Chief, Industrial Division, ORR

DATE: 29 November 1956

FROM : Acting Chief, Aircraft Branch, D/I

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1. Accomplishments

a. Branch projects submitted

Project No. 33.1554, Material for the International Production Conference on Sino-Soviet Aircraft was completed. No publication.

- b. Other projects submitted
- (1) Contribution to NIE 12-57, ORR Project No. 10.1644, Stability and Cohesion of the Soviet Satellite Structure.
- (2) Contribution to ORR Project No. 10.1531, The Validity of Chinese Communist Statistics and Announcements.
- c. Special research

None

d. Others

None

2. Training

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(1) - Translation Workshop in Russian - October / 1956 through January 1957.

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(2) - Elementary Reading (Phase 1) Russian - October 1956 through January 1957.

3. Trips

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on 12 November.

visited

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4. Administration

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Capt. James Total is awaiting his Top Secret clearance.

5. Plans

None

6. Problems

None

7. Recommendations

None

8. Other Information

a. Current Support Memorandum No. 424, USSR Schedules Aircraft Production on "Learning Curve" Basis, was published 2 November.

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c. A class is being conducted within the branch to familiarize all analysts with the theory and use of learning curves and with the methodology employed in estimating production of aircraft.

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